

AN EXPOSITION OF THE SEVEN THUNDERS

...And a High Cloud Ring of Mystery



Hovering like a giant's smoke ring, a great cloud appeared at sunset over Flagstaff, Ariz. last Feb. 28 and set off a continuing series of mystery. Watchers struck by the cloud's odd shape and huge size took pictures, 34 thus far, at different times and from widely scattered locations in the state. Dr. James McDonald, a meteorologist at the Institute of Atmospheric Physics in Tucson, has been accumulating the pictures. Using them as the basis for trigonometric calculations, he has made a startling discovery: that the cloud was at least 20 miles high and 30 miles across—"100 times higher and bigger," he says, "than a cloud should be." The circle was too high to be made by a jet plane, and so far as Dr. McDonald can determine, there were no rockets, rocket planes or bombs being tested nearby that day. He hopes anyone else with pictures will loan them to him, for he would like some more shots about the cloud 20 miles up—the water droplets exist at that height to make a cloud



8:10 P.M. N.E. OF PRESCOTT



8:10 P.M. N. OF PHOENIX



8:30 P.M. W.N.W. OF WINSLOW



KAYLEN SINGH

“As I have already said, this Book (Revelation) is the consummation of the Scriptures. It is even placed exactly right in the canon of Scripture; at the end. Now you can know why it says that anyone who reads or even hears it is blessed. It is the revelation of God that will give you authority over the devil. And you can see why they who would add or take from it would be cursed. It would have to be so, for who can add or take away from the perfect revelation of God and overcome the enemy? It is that simple. There is nothing of such prevailing power as the revelation of the Word. See, in verse three a blessing is pronounced on those who give special attention to this Book. I think this refers to the Old Testament custom of the priests reading the Word to the congregation in the morning. You see, many could not read so the priest had to read to them. As long as it was the Word, the blessing was there. It didn't matter if it was read or heard.”

William Marrion Branham

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Foreword

We are truly living in the most glorious time of all the ages. This is the age that all the saints of old would have desired to be in. For it is in this age that the great plan of redemption of the Almighty God will come to its climax.

Sirs, we have seen the sign of the end. With the fulfillment of Revelation 10 and Luke 17:30, we realize, beyond any shadow of doubt, that our redemption is upon us.

It is in this age that the Lamb of God has opened up the Book and revealed to us the Great Mystery of the Seven Seals. For thousands of years men have probed at this great secret but failed to fully understand what was hidden behind the symbols. But the Lord, in His sovereign grace, has chosen this age to make known the truth and to finish the Mystery of God.

As we look into this great subject of the Seven Thunders, we will draw our inspiration from the Message God has given to us in this end time, through His prophet, William Branham. With a ministry, thoroughly vindicated by God Himself, there can be no argument that William Branham is the Elijah spoken of in Malachi 4:5-6. It is through this God given ministry that our hearts will be turned back to the original faith... the faith once delivered to the saints.

As we go through this great study, I pray the Holy Spirit, that revealed the Word, would lead you and guide you into all truth. This booklet is compiled with no other intention than to help the Bride of Christ. It is my sincere prayer that this booklet would be a blessing to you and help draw you closer to our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. As we see the day of the catching away fast approaching, let us hold on to Truth.... Let us press the battle... Let us fight the good fight of faith....

**Your Brother in Christ
Kaylen Singh**

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REVELATION 10:1 - 7

1 And I saw another mighty angel come down from heaven, clothed with a cloud: and a rainbow was upon his head, and his face was as it were the sun, and his feet as pillars of fire:

2 And he had in his hand a little book open: and he set his right foot upon the sea, and his left foot on the earth,

3 And cried with a loud voice, as when a lion roareth: and when he had cried, seven thunders uttered their voices.

4 And when the seven thunders had uttered their voices, I was about to write: and I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Seal up those things which the seven thunders uttered, and write them not.

5 And the angel which I saw stand upon the sea and upon the earth lifted up his hand to heaven,

6 And sware by him that liveth for ever and ever, who created heaven, and the things that therein are, and the earth, and the things that therein are, and the sea, and the things which are therein, that there should be time no longer:

7 But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he shall begin to sound, the mystery of God should be finished, as he hath declared to his servants the prophets.

AN INTRODUCTION TO OUR STUDY

Let us take careful note of our Scripture reading in Revelation 10. Herein lies a vital clue as to the timing of this great revelation. We would notice that the Seven Thunders utter only after the Mighty Angel comes down or begins His descending. The Bible explicitly sets the chronological order of events as follows:-

- 1) The Mighty Angel clothed in a cloud comes down from heaven
- 2) He cries with a loud voice
- 3) The Seven Thunders utter their voices

From this order depicted in Revelation 10, it becomes very clear that the Seven Thunders cannot utter before the Mighty Angel comes down. This would automatically disqualify anything that may have occurred before the descending of this Mighty Angel as being the revelation of the Seven Thunders.

Why is this so important to note? If we can establish Who the Mighty Angel clothed in a cloud is and further determine when He “came down from heaven”, it would become evident that anything prior to this happening could not be the revelation of the Seven Thunders. As we hold this thought in our hearts and minds, let us venture forward into our study on the Revelation of the Seven Thunders...

WHAT DOES A THUNDER REPRESENT IN THE BIBLE?

JOHN 12:27 - 29

27 Now is my soul troubled; and what shall I say? Father, save me from this hour: but for this cause came I unto this hour.

28 Father, glorify thy name. Then came there a voice from heaven, saying, I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again.

29 The people therefore, that stood by, and heard it, said that it thundered: others said, An angel spake to him.

From the Bible we can see clearly that when God spoke it sounded like a thunder. The people that stood by also linked the voice of God to an angel speaking.

63-0318 THE.FIRST.SEAL JEFFERSONVILLE.IN MONDAY

146 Then when the Lamb took the Book and broke that First Seal, God spoke from His eternal throne to say what that Seal was to be revealed. But when it's placed before John, it was in a symbol. When John saw it, it was still a mystery. Why? It wasn't even revealed right then. It cannot be revealed until what He said here at the end time. But it come in a symbol. When the thunder... **Remember, a loud clapping noise of a thunder is the voice of God. That's what the Bible said (See?), a clap of thunder. They thought it was a thunder, but it was God. He understood it, for it was revealed to Him. See?** It was a thunder. And notice, the First Seal opened--the First Seal when it was open in the symbol form it thundered. Now, what about when it's opened in its reality form?

A Thunder is the Voice of God. It is God speaking to man. Those who lacked revelation just heard the noise of a thunder. To whom the thunder is revealed, they recognize it as the voice of God. Thus, Seven Thunders uttering their voices would be God speaking in a seven-fold way bringing a Message to His people.

DID BROTHER BRANHAM LEAVE US ANY CLUES WE CAN BEGIN OUR STUDY WITH?

GOD.HIDING.HIMSELF.IN.SIMPLICITY ALBQ.NM FRIDAY 63-0412E

E-116 *Something happened the other day. You read the--or heard the tape, the seven thunders, "What Time Is It, Sir?" See? It happened the other day.* You know these things... The time is at hand, church. The time is at hand. Don't--don't--don't wait any longer. See, how do you know the rapture's not going on all the time? First thing you know it'll be past, one disappearing here, and there. It'll be gone the first thing you know, and you'll--judgment will strike the world.

Brother Branham is making quite a bold statement in the above paragraph. He is telling us “something happened the other day...” This sermon was preached on the 12th April 1963. Whatever happened ‘the other day’ would be something that happened just before this date.

Another key point to note is that whatever happened was spoken of in the sermon “What Time Is It Sir?” This happening is now linked directly to the revelation of the Seven Thunders. In this sermon (*the correct title being “Is This The Sign Of The End, Sir?” Preached on 30th December 1962*) we find Brother Branham interpreting some dreams that people had related to him.

The earliest dream according to the tape was given to Junior Jackson in February 1961. He shares about the mysteries of God. Then he begins to relate of a vision he had about a week earlier. He speaks of the first two parts of the vision as relating to little birds and then bigger birds like doves. Then he begins to share of Seven Angels in a constellation that came to him and caught him up into that constellation.

Given that he spoke of many different things on the tape, the question to settle now would be this: What was he referring to when he makes that statement ***"Something happened the other day. You read the--or heard the tape, the seven thunders, "What Time Is It, Sir?" See? It happened the other day."*** Let us look to see if he references this particular tape elsewhere in his preaching...

65-1204 THE.RAPTURE YUMA.AZ V-5 N-14 SATURDAY

157 *But there is men standing right here now, was standing right with me. **When, you all heard me preach that sermon: Sirs, What Time Is It? That morning, exactly where It said It would be, there stood seven Angels standing right there, from the Heaven.** And as They went up, and the whirlwind taking Them up there, we standing, watching as They went away, science took the picture of It, all the way across the nations, down into Mexico.*

63-0324E THE.SEVENTH.SEAL JEFFERSONVILLE.IN SUNDAY

264 **Now, notice, remember the vision of the constellation?** *Charlie, I... Here you are. Something going on, I told you, this week that you... It's been all around you, but I wonder if you noticed it. **Remember the constellation of the vision of the Angels when I left here to go to Arizona? You remember, "What Time Is It, Sirs?" Do you remember that? Notice,***

there was only one great burst of thunder, and seven Angels appeared. Is that right? One burst of thunder, seven Angels appeared.

And I saw the Lamb when He had opened the First Seal, and I heard as it was a voice of a thunder, and one of the four beasts said, Come and see. Notice, one thunder, seven messages that's been sealed up and cannot be revealed until the last day, at this age. See what I mean?

There are many other quotes we could add in here at this time that are very similar to the two above. From these we can clearly see what Brother Branham was referring to whenever he spoke of the tape "What Time Is It Sirs?" His focus is on the Constellation of Angels that met him. This Constellation of Angels is now directly associated with the Revelation of the Seven Thunders.

A key point to note at this time is that up until 30th December 1962, the Seven Thunders had not yet uttered. The Revelation of the Seven Thunders had not yet been given. How can we verify this claim? Let us reference "What Time Is It Sirs?"

62-1230E IS.THIS.THE.SIGN.OF.THE.END.SIR JEFF.IN V-2 N-11 SUNDAY

371 **Might be closer than you think it is.** *It's got me scared. Oh, I haven't done enough. **Where are we at?***

372 "Time shall be no more." He announces that time is over. What happens? What happens? **Could that be so now, brethren? Seriously think. If it is, then the pyramid is capped by the Seven Thunders.**

62-1230E IS.THIS.THE.SIGN.OF.THE.END.SIR JEFF.IN V-2 N-11 SUNDAY

416 Sunday, I come down here to speak, and I--I tried to shake myself from it, by speaking. Monday, it was there again. And it's here now.

417 I don't know. I don't know, sirs. I'm only honest, with you, as my brothers. I don't know. Is it--is it time? Is the minis... the mystery all finished? Has the sounding all over? **Is that really them Seven Thunders, fixing to utter out something, that the little group that is gathered together will receive a Rapturing Faith, to go in the Rapture when He comes?** "For we'll be changed," as quick as those Angels come, "in a moment, in a twinkling of an eye; and shall be caught up together with those that had sleep, to meet the Lord in the air."

We are now narrowing the time span we have to examine. Sometime between 30th December 1962 and 12th April 1963 something happened that brought the true Revelation of the Seven Thunders which caps the pyramid.

Let us continue our journey to truth by asking the next question. From Revelation 10:1, we know a Mighty Angel comes down from heaven. When He descends the Seven Thunders utter their voices. The question to ask then would be: "Who is this Mighty Angel?"

WHO IS THIS MIGHTY ANGEL COMING DOWN?

630317E THE.BREACH.BETWEEN.THE.SEVEN.CHURCH.AGES.AND.THE.SEVEN.SEALS JEFFERSONVILLE.IN SUNDAY

44 Now, we see that this seven-sealed Book now, is the mystery of redemption. It's a Book of Redemption from God. Now, all the mysteries at this time should be finished at the sounding of this messenger. Now, here's the angel on earth, and another Angel, mighty Messenger come down. See, this angel was a earthly angel, messenger. **But here comes One down from heaven: a rainbow, covenant. See? Only Christ, it could be; just**

exactly like it was in Revelations 1st chapter, standing in the midst of the seven golden candlesticks with a rainbow to look upon as jasper and sardius stone.

There can be no argument here. This Mighty Angel of Revelation 10 is none other than Christ. This is the same Christ that walked in the midst of the seven golden candlesticks. From this we can easily deduce that the Mighty Angel descending is not the corporal coming of Jesus Christ. Rather, Revelation 10 highlights Christ, the Person of the Holy Ghost, coming down with the Open Book in His hand. It is the Word Coming to His people.

An important characteristic of this Mighty Angel is the fact that He is clothed with a cloud....

HE IS CLOTHED WITH A CLOUD



As believers of this Message, I am certain we are all familiar with the photo on the previous page. For those who may be unfamiliar with this picture, let me give you a brief history. The photo was taken on the 28th February 1963 and appeared in Life Magazine on May 17th 1963. The article relating to this Cloud was titled: "And High Cloud Ring of Mystery." The Cloud was measured to be approximately 26 miles high and 30 mile across. This photo taken was to sum up the fulfillment of the vision of the Seven Angels Brother Branham had spoken of in "What Time Is It, Sirs?"

64-0119 SHALOM PHOENIX.AZ V-22 N-1 SUNDAY

25 Now, a few, about three years ago, it will be now, that, at home, at my home church, the Holy Spirit spoke to me, said, "Go to Tucson, there is something waiting." **I stood on this platform and told every one of you, "THUS SAITH THE LORD, something is fixing to happen." There is probably hundreds of people sitting here that know it. I just told you what I saw. The Message is on tape, What Time Is It, Sir? I saw a constellation of Angels, like a--a pyramid, come down just north of Tucson; up in this way, north of Tucson.** And They spoke to me something, and I didn't know what it was. And one day there... **There is man sitting right present now, two of them, that was with me, back over there when that happened.**

26 **And they took the picture of It in the sky. It come out in--in the magazine. I thought I had a copy. I do. That's it. You see it here in Life magazine, this copy, just exactly the way the Holy Spirit said it would be.**

Whilst many would want to argue since Brother Branham was not there when the Cloud appeared - this must mean the Cloud has no supernatural bearing and should be shunned altogether – criticism will not depreciate the

value of this Supernatural occurrence. At the same time, given chronological events leading to Brother Branham being at Sunset Mountain, it would be unwise to insist he was physically there when the photograph was taken.

In the sermon "Standing In The Gap" (63-06-23), Brother Branham tells us the picture was taken as the Angels lowered themselves to bring the Message. When he preached "Come Follow Me" (63-06-01) he tells us he looked to see when the picture was taken and acknowledges it was a day or two before or after he was there.

If we can understand how God works, then this apparent anomaly which has caused great confusion will be dissolved. God has a pattern to show first in the heavens what He is going to do on the earth. Think it not strange that God would continue this pattern in this instance as He shows us the sign of the Son of Man in the heavens before the Son of Man is revealed on the earth.

650718M TRYING.TO.DO.GOD.A.SERVICE.WITHOUT.BEING.THE.WILL.OF.GOD JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-4 N-8 SUNDAY

167 **And then in that great observatory, so that the world will be without, they're still wondering what happened.** In Tucson, them big observatories took the picture of it up there; still wondering what happened. What is it? They still put in the paper, "Does anybody know anything about what, how it could have happen?" There is no fog up there, there's no air, there's no moisture; thirty miles high in the air. Oh, my! "There shall be signs in the heaven above. **And when these things take place, earthquakes in divers places, then shall appear the sign in the heaven, of the Son of man.**" "That day," in Luke, "the Son of man will reveal

Himself again; being revealed, Hissself." And the world will look like Sodom and Gomorrah. Oh, my! Brethren, don't be ignorant of spiritual things, see. **"Search the Scriptures, for in Them you think Eternal, you have Eternal Life; and They are They that testify of the Word." They are They that testify of the Truth, the things that God is doing in this hour.**

COULD THIS CLOUD BE THE CHRIST OF REVELATION 10? THE ANSWER IS YES....

65-0718E SPIRITUAL.FOOD.IN.DUE.SEASON JEFF.IN V-8 N-7 SUNDAY

84 Then when that went up, the big observatories from way down in California, plumb down in Mexico, over Tucson, **everywhere, taking the picture of It. It was a mysterious sight.** Brother Fred Sothmann there, sitting right back there, and I and Brother Gene Norman, standing right there present when it went up. **They took the picture, still they don't know what about it.** Here sometime ago, everybody saying, "Looky here. This looks like this, and them Angels' wings, how they're folded in there."

85 **One day, turning it to the right, looking, there was Jesus Christ just as perfect as Hofmann ever drawed Him. It was standing there with a white wig on, looking back down towards the earth, showing that He is Supreme Authority.** The Heavens declare it, the Bible declares it, the Message declares it, all the same. Supreme Authority, with the white wig on; you see His black beard under. Many of you have seen the picture. We got it back there. Just turn it to the right, sideways, look at it. There He is, just as perfect as it was, if it had been photographed of Him. They're looking at it from the wrong angle. You got to look at it in the right angle. And only the Lord God can reveal which is the right angle. Turn it to your

right and look at it. There He is, just as perfect, had it a-been photographed up there.

IT WAS A CLOUD MADE BY SEVEN ANGELS

63-1110E HE.THAT.IS.IN.YOU JEFF.IN V-6 N-12 SUNDAY

*15 Now, some sister here, Billy just showed me, was nice enough to go **get this Life magazine, this picture, and blow it up, of that of the seven Angels, and have it taken and sent to me. That is the picture.** And now if you'll notice here, as it was leaving, ascending back, when the Angels had brought Their Message, it was in the form of a pyramid; just exactly what I told you, three months before it happened, the way it would be. Is that right? [Congregation says, "Amen."--Ed.] And the notable Angel, with His wings back on the side, back, laying back, you remember Him. Said, "He had His head... coming this speed." Don't you even see the wings there? And there is the Angel there, just exactly the way it was said.*

I trust that the picture is now becoming clearer as we see the pieces of the puzzle begin to fall into place. This Cloud picture appearing in Life Magazine is none other than Christ, clothed with a Cloud and a direct fulfillment of Revelation 10:1. An interesting point to note is that the Cloud was formed by Seven Angels. Who are these Seven Angels?

WHO ARE THESE SEVEN ANGELS IN A CLOUD?

As we look at this very important piece in our exposition, I realize that this may be a contentious issue. May we seek His Face at this point and with an open heart be willing to allow Him to lead and guide us into all truth.

We must realize that these Angels were not earthly messengers. These were Heavenly Messengers.

65-1204 THE.RAPTURE YUMA.AZ V-5 N-14 SATURDAY

157 *But there is men standing right here now, was standing right with me. When, you all heard me preach that sermon: **Sirs, What Time Is It? That morning, exactly where It said It would be, there stood seven Angels standing right there, from the Heaven.** And as They went up, and the whirlwind taking Them up there, we standing, watching as They went away, science took the picture of It, all the way across the nations, down into Mexico.*

Were these Seven Angels the theophanies of the Seven Church Age messengers? Let us quickly recall the experience Brother Branham had of going beyond the curtain of time. He was transported to the sixth dimension. Here he met the saints of God that have gone on. He describes of how they were in a body which looks just like the ones we have now but only not a flesh body. He gave us details of how they looked and how they were dressed. In all his descriptions, not once did he ever mention that anyone of these people had wings. Why would this matter? The Angels in the Cloud had wings...

63-1128M TESTIMONY SHREVEPORT.LA V-17 N-5 THURSDAY

34 And then it was foretold it would be that way, six months before it happened, six months. And there It was. And the science searching it today, right there in Tucson and different places, they can't understand what was that up there. **Then if you'll get the magazine and look, you can even see the shapes of Their wings is still in there as They're going up, the seven Angels.** And we know that these things are correct, friends. Oh, if there ever was a time that the church ought to be in deep sincerity, it should be right now. Now!

Having eliminated these two possibilities, can we establish who these Angels are? A deeper analysis would be required....

64-0112 SHALOM SIERRA.VISTA.AZ V-13 N-5 SUNDAY

158 Just exactly like He showed us the Seven Church Ages, what would come. Just exactly what He showed us what would come when He set that Light up there, in revelation to it, to show the world. **When He sent the seven Angels to reveal the seven messengers that had been down through there, and show the loose ends, each Angel coming each day and revealing the loose ends that Luther left, and Wesley left, and Pentecost left, is all represented in there. And in the very type and shadow of the great Shalom, Jehovah, Jvhu. See? Exactly. Threwed It in the skies, and there is the mechanical eye taking a picture of It. See? Thank the Lord!**

65-0418M IT.IS.THE.RISING.OF.THE.SUN JEFF.IN V-3 N-12 SUNDAY

309 **And the very seven Angels, which represented the Seven Churches all completed, and we couldn't even see It. They did, they took the picture, not us. And there He is, standing there, Supreme**

Judge; showing that He is Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. What identification! Quickening Power did that to us.

From the above extracts we can see that the Seven Angels in the Cloud were closely associated with the Seven Church Ages and the messengers to these ages. These Heavenly Messengers were to reveal the earthly messengers by tying up all the loose ends that these earthly messengers left off. In doing this, these Angels represent the Churches all completed. From the terminology of Brother Branham, we can see clearly that these Seven Angels are not the messengers to each age but are very closely associated with these messengers. Let us look to the Bible for further clarity on this subject.

REVELATION 4:5

5 And out of the throne proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices: and there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, **which are the seven Spirits of God.**

This Scripture seems to be very uncharacteristic of our understanding of the Godhead. According to John 4:24 God is A (ONE) Spirit. Is there a contradiction in the Bible? That is not the case here. We thank God for sending us a prophet in these last days to tie up all theses loose ends.

248-5 SARDISEAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.7

To begin with, we know for a certainty that these verses are not teaching a new and contrary doctrine to John 4:24a "God is A (one) Spirit." But this is like I Corinthians 12:8-11 wherein we find ONE Spirit manifesting Himself in NINE ways. Thus we know that the seven Spirits of God mean it is the one and same Spirit coming forth in a sevenfold

way. Now in Revelation 4:5 these same seven Spirits are called 'lamps of fire burning' before the Lord. Since John always used nothing but Old Testament symbols in the Revelation we go to the Old Testament and find from Proverbs 20:27 that "the spirit of man is the lamp of the Lord." **These seven Spirits are found to be associated with man.** John the Baptist in John 5:35 was called a 'burning light' which should actually be translated as 'burning lamp.' Again in Revelation 5:6 the seven Spirits are identified as seven eyes.

In Zechariah 4:10, "For who hath despised the day of small things? for they shall rejoice, and shall see the plummet in the hand of Zerubbabel with those seven, they are the eyes of the Lord." It is very evident that the word, 'they' refers to men. Thus we see that the eyes of the Lord in this instance are men--of course they will be anointed men, full of the Holy Ghost, for God's ministries are not in the power of men but of the Holy Ghost. **Putting our Scriptural discoveries together it is evident that the seven Spirits of God refer to the continuous ministry of the same Holy Spirit in the lives of seven men with whom God identifies Himself very closely.**

They are His eyes, and they are His lamps. Who these seven men are can easily be seen because the next phrase calls them the seven stars which are already known to us as the seven messengers to the seven ages. How beautiful that is. See, the star was meant to reflect light at night, for the sun has gone. Just so the messenger (typified as a star) to each age was to reflect the light of the Son. They all did this by the Holy Spirit.

These Seven Spirits of God is the continuous ministry of the same Holy Spirit in the lives of the seven messengers to the Church Ages. These Seven Spirits are God manifesting Himself in a seven-fold way. It is the Holy Spirit coming to each messenger and anointing them with their

ministry to reflect the Son in the age they were predestinated to. What link does these Seven Spirits have to the Seven Angels that formed the Cloud?

60-1209 THE.SARDISEAN.CHURCH.AGE JEFF.IN ROJC 329-372 FRIDAY

73 Now let's take the 1st verse:. ..unto the angel of the church of Sardis write; These things saith he that has... seven Spirits of God, and the seven stars; I know thy work, that thou has a name that thou livest, and art dead. Now the salute. Now, the seven Spirits are... "The seven Spirits and the seven stars." **The Spirits was the angels that went to the stars which were messengers. "Seven Spirits," seven different times the Holy Spirit would anoint a messenger, which was a star in his day. A--a Spirit is Eternal, and the star that was made for a purpose to reflect Light in the dark of these church ages where candles and stars are representing. The angel, the Spirit, was the one that went to the star and reflected the Light of the Holy Spirit through this star to that church age. That, you might know... wonder who the seven Spirits are. It's the seven messengers of the seven church ages. See? Now, and each time that the star came in on the scene, the Holy Spirit came down and anointed that star and kept it just exactly like the first one was.**

As we read the quote above, let us not read a single line in isolation but read the entire paragraph. The Seven Spirits are the Seven Angels that would anoint the seven messengers, who were the seven stars. Each time a star came on the scene as the messenger of the age, the Holy Spirit would come down as an Angel to anoint the messenger. For Angels are ministering spirits...

HEBREWS 1:13 - 14

13 But to which of the angels said he at any time, Sit on my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool?

14 **Are they not all ministering spirits**, sent forth to minister for them who shall be heirs of salvation?

To sum up our discovery, these Seven Angels that formed the Cloud are the Seven Spirits of God that are before the Throne. These Angels were associated closely with the seven messengers to the different ages. These Seven Angels would go to and anoint the earthly messengers giving them the Message they were to deliver in the age they lived in.

WHY ARE THESE SEVEN ANGELS SO IMPORTANT?

A paramount question after such an in-depth analysis is why is this so important? Why go through all this trouble of understanding who these Angels are? What role do these Seven Angels play with regard to the Seven Thunders?

630317M GOD.HIDING.HIMSELF.IN.SIMPLICITY.THEN.REVEALING.HIMSELF.IN.THE.SAME JEFFERSONVILLE.IN SUNDAY

103 *We're--we're in teaching, and you can realize what a great strain it is on me (See?), because if I teach anything wrong, I'm going to have to answer for it. See? And so I must not take what anyone says; I must--it must be inspired. **And I believe that the Seven Angels who's holds these seven thunders will grant it. See?** And I'm...*

I am certain you now understand why we laboured to find the truth of these Seven Angels. These Angels hold the key to the Revelation of the Seven Thunders for These Seven Angels hold the Seven Thunders. The sounding of these Seven Angels would bring the true revelation of the Seven Thunders. These Seven Angels that hold the Seven Thunders are not the church age messengers. They are not men or women. They are the Seven Spirits of God. They are not even from the earth but they come from Heaven. Establishing Who these Angels are is pivotal to understanding the Seven Thunders for it is These Seven Angels that are coming with the true Revelation of The Seven Thunders.

Seeing these Angels held the Seven Thunders - if we can know what They have uttered – we would then be able to know what the Seven Thunders uttered...

WHAT DID THESE SEVEN ANGELS UTTER?

**63-0628M O.LORD.JUST.ONCE.MORE HOT.SPRINGS.AR V-20 N-10
FRIDAY**

*42 Now science took the picture of It, you seen It, went on Associated Press. They didn't know what It was. There is a Cloud hanging, twenty-six miles high. That's fifteen miles, or twenty, above even where vapor is at. They don't know what it's all going about, and they are trying to investigate It. And there, right under It, I was standing. **And those seven Angels roaring out their voices, of those Seven Seals, standing there. And the witness, three of us, as a witness of the things that was prophesied on the tape, Sirs, What Time Is It? And there now they're trying to find out. It's a mystery to them.***

**65-1127B TRYING.TO.DO.GOD.A.SERVICE.WITHOUT.IT.BEING.GOD'S.WIL
L SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-2 SATURDAY**

305 Now, He said, "In the days of the Message of the seventh angel, the earthly angel, seventh church age, then all these mysteries that's been lost back through these other six church ages should be revealed right then." **Well, that's exactly what those Angels said. Here is the Seven Seals, or the opening of these mysteries.** And you try to get It before those denominations. Contrary to what they... Brother, they close up like a clam, but they've always done it. But it's season!

**65-1127B TRYING.TO.DO.GOD.A.SERVICE.WITHOUT.IT.BEING.GOD'S.WIL
L SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-2 SATURDAY**

70 The whole earth shook, everywhere. Rocks that size rolled down, dust flying like that. **And I looked, and standing before me stood seven Angels; just exactly the way it was.** I felt like I was standing way up off the ground. First, I thought somebody had shot me, you know, with that black hat on; looked like a javelina hog, anyhow, you know they're dark. I thought somebody had shot me, such a... right close. And I--I seen then what it was. Well, as soon as... **I got my commission, and the Scripture, "The Seven Seals which is the seven mysteries." See?**

**65-1126 WORKS.IS.FAITH.EXPRESSED SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-1
FRIDAY**

252 **It was revealed to me, "I was going to Arizona, and there I'd meet seven Angels. And they would tell me then what... a Message that I was to preach." And that was the Seven Seals. It happened! How many remembers me saying that?** The tapes and things will go to that.

And it happened! Magazines, everything else, took the picture of It. That Light there in the air, they can't even understand It yet. There it was.

65-0911 GOD'S.POWER.TO.TRANSFORM PHOENIX.AZ V-16 N-5
SATURDAY

*77 Now, it's hard to say this. It's--it's very hard, because speaking to people who feel the same way I do, and the way I have been for many years. **But since the opening of those Seven Seals, of them Angels just behind the mountain yonder, This has become a new Book. It's the things that's been hid, is being revealed as God promised in Revelation 10, He would do it. And we are the privileged people that God has chosen, of the earth, that we might see and understand these things; which is not some mythical, fleshly mind of a person trying to make it up. It's the Word of God made manifest, proven, that It's right.** Proven, not by science; but by God, that It's right. God, as I have said before in a message, God doesn't need anyone to interpret His Word. He is His Own interpreter. He says it'll happen, and it happens. That's, He--He confirms it, that interprets it.*

From the above compilation it is rather clear what these Seven Angels were sounding out. Their voices were roaring out the Seven Seals. The Angels told the prophet this was his new commission. This was his second climax. Remember these Seven Angels held the Seven Thunders. When They begin to sound out, It was the Revelation of the Seven Seals. The true Revelation of the Seven Thunders is therefore the revelations contained in the Seven Seals.

327-1 LAODICEAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.9

Now this messenger of Malachi 4 and Revelation 10:7 is going to do two things. One: According to Malachi 4 he will turn the hearts of the children to the fathers. **Two: He will reveal the mysteries of the seven thunders in Revelation 10 which are the revelations contained in the seven seals.** It will be these Divinely revealed 'mystery-truths' that literally turn the hearts of the children to the Pentecostal fathers. Exactly so.

If by the Holy Spirit, we can see the true revelation of the Seven Seals, then we will truly understand what the Seven Thunders are really all about. After all, the revelation of the Seven Seals is what the Thunders were all about.

64-0830E QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS.4 JEFF.IN COD SUNDAY

395. **Have the seven thunders which equals seven mysteries already been revealed?** Were they revealed in the seven Seals, but are yet--but are yet not known to us as the thunders yet?

No, they were revealed in the seven Seals; that's what the thunders was about. They was to reveal... The seven thunders that had uttered their voices and no one could make out what it was... John knew what it was, but he was forbidden to write it. **He said, "But the seventh angel, in the days of his sounding, the seven mysteries of the seven thunders would be revealed." And the seventh angel is a messenger of the seventh church age.** See?

God had ordained His plan that at the sounding of the seventh angel of Revelation 10:7 the mystery of the Seven Thunders would be revealed. The Seven Thunders have been revealed. It is the Revelation of what was hidden in the Seven Seals. An important point to note here would be an amazing truth as highlighted in the following Scripture:

REVELATION 10:4

4 And when the seven thunders had uttered their voices, I was about to write: and I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, **Seal up those things which the seven thunders uttered, and write them not.**

Remember, the Seven Thunders are the revelation of the Seven Seals. Here we would note that the Seven Thunders are sealed or Their Voices have been silenced for a time period. Thus the true Revelation of the Seven Seals was sealed and silenced. From this I trust you can see all Seven Seals are linked to this Mighty Angel clothed in a Cloud with an Open book in His hand. But this silence won't last forever. For the Bible tells us in Revelation 10:7, that when the seventh angel begins to sound the Mystery of God would be finished.

Thus, the sounding of the seventh angel will break the silence. His sounding does not induce a silence but rather abolishes it. John heard the Seven Thunders – he was about to write down what he heard. God commands him not to write but let it remain a mystery. But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, What has been silenced will be made known.

At this time, I would like to draw a comparison between Revelation 10 and the great process of 1 Thessalonians 4. It would be highly beneficial to our study if we injected this link here as this would help us ascertain a clearer picture of what has transpired in our day.

A GLIMPSE AT THE RAPTURE PROCESS

I THESSALONIANS 4:16 - 17

16 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

Whilst many may view the Rapture as an event, by careful study, we soon realize the Rapture is a process. Brother Branham tells us that Jesus is responsible for doing all three steps as He is descending:-

- 1) The Shout
- 2) The Voice of the Archangel
- 3) The Trump of God

The Lord Himself shall descend with a Shout. Is not Christ the Lord? Is it not Christ that is coming down in Revelation 10? Immediately we can see an amazing similarity between these two portions of Scripture. Remember, His descending is a process. Jesus does all three. The question is does He do all three in the corporal body? Let us draw on what has been spoken by the prophet of Malachi 4.

THE SHOUT

65-1204 THE.RAPTURE YUMA.AZ V-5 N-14 SATURDAY

130 Three things happens. A voice... A shout, a voice, a trumpet, has to happen before Jesus appears. Now, a shout... Jesus does all three of them when He's--He's--He's--He's descending. A shout, what is the shout? It's the Message going forth, first, the living Bread of Life bringing forth the Bride.

131 Now, God has a way of doing things. And He never changes His policy. He never changes His po-... He's the unchanging God. In Amos 3:7, He said, "He would do nothing on the earth until first He revealed it to His servants the prophets." And just as certain as He promised it, He'll do it.

The Shout is the Message going forth first. This Message is the Living Bread of Life bringing forth the Bride. It is the Message sent to gather the Bride together. It is a Message that will come by a prophet. Immediately we can see the first portion of this Rapture process is the Message coming by a prophet to the people. What Message is the prophet referring to?

65-1204 THE.RAPTURE YUMA.AZ V-5 N-14 SATURDAY

156 You're not blind people. You're--you're sensible people. And if I stood here and said those things for prejudice? I say It because It's Life, because I'm responsible to God for saying It. And I must say It, and my Message. All the time, knowing, back there under healing and so forth like that, was just to catch the people's attention, knowing the Message would come. And here It is. And them Seven Seals opened, those mysteries, and showing those things is what's happened. I didn't know it.

Under the first and second pulls of his ministry, he knew his Message would come. His Message is the revealing or the opening of the Seven Seals. We know that the Seven Thunders is the Revelation of what was in the Seven Seals. The prophet has now linked The Shout of 1 Thessalonians 4 to Revelation 10. By this we can also see that in the Shout – this is not the corporal coming of Jesus Christ but rather the Word Coming of Christ.

This great sounding Shout is the Word coming to His people. Remember Revelation 10 is not the physical return of Jesus Christ but It is the Word coming to His Bride through His prophet. When this Mighty Angel cries (SHOUTS) with a loud voice, the Message (SEVEN THUNDERS) has been declared by the seventh angel to prepare His people to meet Him in the air. The King's Message has been brought through a prophet to the people. Now it is the Bride's turn to take the Book (Word) and eat It that the Voice of the Archangel, Christ, may now sound through her as the final voice to this final age.

THE VOICE OF THE ARCHANGEL

65-0429B THE.SEED.SHALL.NOT.BE.HEIR.WITH.THE.SHUCK
LOS.ANGELES.CA V-18 N-5 THURSDAY

*55 Jesus said, "No man can come to Me except My Father has drawed him. And all that My Father hath given Me, they will come. My sheep, My doves, hear My Voice. A stranger they will not follow." **And what is the Voice of God? Is the Word of God. What's any man's voice but his word? It's the Word of God; they'll hear the Word of God.***

The Shout is the Word coming to the Bride. It is the coming of the Open Book (Word) to the Bride. She has taken the Book (The Word) and has

eaten It and now the Word, which is His Voice, is in the Bride. The Voice of the Archangel is now in Her.

This is the Bride Coming of Christ. The Word now veiled in Bride Form. The Word in the Bride has awakened Her and She is now the Revival. Due to the Voice of the Archangel in Her She has experienced a great Spiritual Awakening and a resurrection from the tombs of dark denominationalism (Rising of the Sun). She is now prophesying again to all the world (Revelation 10:8), declaring "what a Resurrection this is – to be awakened or resurrected from the dark tombs of denominationalism" for the Word has returned in power and is now in Her. With the Bride becoming the Word - this is the time (or indicator) for the sleeping saints to rise and unite with us (Uniting Time and Sign) for the Wife hath made Herself ready - causing the Trumpet to sound bringing the literal resurrection of the sleeping saints and the body change - so we are all gathered to meet Him in the air.

THE TRUMPET

65-1204 THE.RAPTURE YUMA.AZ V-5 N-14 SATURDAY

165 *And the trumpet, "with the sound of a trumpet." And, when it does, it calls. Always, a trumpet called Israel to the Feast of the Trumpets. See? Which, was a pentecostal Feast, the great Feast in the sky; and the Feast of the Trumpets. **And, now, a trumpet do announce a calling together, "Come to the Feast." And now that is the--the Lamb's Supper in the sky. Now watch. The assembling together; and the Bride; the Feast of the Trumpets, the Wedding Supper.** We have seen it in types. Now watch just a moment before we close. Notice. We seen it in types.*

The Voice of the Archangel will climax in the great Trumpet Voice (Revelation 4:1) calling us to the Wedding Supper in the sky where we will physically meet our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. A key point is to realize that the sleeping saints only rise after the Trumpet is sounded. At the Trumpet sound, the dead in Christ shall rise incorruptible and we shall be changed. Then together with them we shall be caught up to meet Him in the air.

We can now clearly see that the Rapture is a process. The Shout is the Word Coming to His people through a prophet. The Voice of the Archangel is the Word in the Bride and at the Trumpet we will meet Him, Whom we love, face to face. We can now also see how Revelation 10:1-7 was the start of the great process of 1 Thessalonians 4.

Let us now bring our thoughts back to these Seven Angels for another moment. To reiterate quickly, if we can, truly by revelation, see what the true revelation of the Seven Seals is, then we have heard what the Seven Thunders were saying. The mystery behind the symbols was revealed. Satan was thoroughly exposed. By exposing Satan the True Christ was revealed for He is the revelation of those Seals.

65-0418M IT.IS.THE.RISING.OF.THE.SUN JEFF.IN V-3 N-12 SUNDAY

308 He is the One Who opened those Seals. He is those Seals, for the whole Word of God is Christ, and Christ is the Seals that was opened.

What is the opening of Seals then? Revealing Christ.

HOW DID THESE ANGELS SOUND?

63-0324E THE SEVENTH SEAL JEFFERSONVILLE.IN SUNDAY

268 **Now, have you noticed the mysterious parts of this week? That's what it is. That's what it's been. It's been, not a human being, a man; it has been the Angels of the Lord.** Notice, there's witnesses of three setting in here, that a week ago (a little over a week ago) I was up way back into the mountains, nearly to Mexico, with two brethren that's setting here, picking cocklebur--or sand burrs off of my trouser leg, and a blast went off that almost, looked like, shook the mountains down. Now, that's right. I never told my brethren, but they noticed a difference. And He said to me, "Now, be ready. Go east." Here's the interpretation of that vision. See? "Now, to let you know, Brother Sothmann has not got the game that he went after." We was trying to get it for him. And He said, "Now, tonight, for a sign to you, he isn't going to do it. You must consecrate yourself at this time for the visitation of these Angels." And I felt beside myself, you remember. And I was in the west; the Angels was coming east. And as they come by, I was picked up with them (You remember that?), coming east.

64-0112 SHALOM SIERRA.VISTA.AZ V-13 N-5 SUNDAY

158 Just exactly like He showed us the Seven Church Ages, what would come. Just exactly what He showed us what would come when He set that Light up there, in revelation to it, to show the world. When He sent the seven Angels to reveal the seven messengers that had been down through there, and show the loose ends, **each Angel coming each day and revealing the loose ends that Luther left, and Wesley left, and Pentecost left, is all represented in there.** And in the very type and shadow of the great Shalom, Jehovah, Jvhu. See? Exactly. Threwed It in

*the skies, and there is the mechanical eye taking a picture of It. See?
Thank the Lord!*

I trust and pray we can notice the mysterious parts of the week in which the Seven Seals were preached. It was not a man or any human being but it was those Angels of the Lord. Each day one of those Angels would come to the prophet with the revelation of each Seal. The revelation given to us was the sounding of those Seven Thunders. With the revelation of the Seven Thunders all the loose ends in Scripture have been tied up. The Bible has become a new Book. The mystery of God has been completed.

From this study, we can now clearly see that the Seven Thunders could not sound before the Mighty Angel of Revelation 10:1 came down. That Mighty Angel is none other than Christ. He came down clothed in a Cloud of Seven Angels. These Seven Angels, which are the Seven Spirits of God, held the revelation of the Seven Thunders. During the week 18 March 1963 – 24 March 1963, an Angel will come to the prophet each day with the Revelation of each Seal. Now, the Seven Thunders are no longer sealed up and the Mystery that has been hid in the Book in symbol form has now been made known. The Revealing of the Seven Seals is what the Thunders were all about. This is the Shout of 1 Thessalonians 4 and the revealing of the Seven Thunders is the Message.

Before we move away from these Seven Angels and what They uttered, I would like to draw your attention to one very important point. We know that there were Seven Angels in the constellation that was in the formation of a pyramid. We know these Seven Angels held the Seven Thunders. We have now also discovered that each day one of the Angels will come to the

prophet with the revelation of each Seal. We can safely deduce from this that all Seven Angels have sounded.

Each Angel was bringing the revelation of each Seal. Over seven days one Angel would come a day. Each Angel sounding was a Thunder. If all Seven Angels have sounded then All Seven Thunders have uttered. If all Seven Thunders have uttered, then we can now with a real assurance know that all Seven Seals have been revealed.

If only Six Seals were to be opened, there would have only been Six Angels in the constellation. The Seventh Angel in the constellation (which held the Seventh Seal) came in vain if all Seven Seals did not open. On the seventh day, when Brother Branham was waiting on the Lord for the understanding of the Seventh Seal – no Angel would have gone to him – but we know this is not so. For He told us each day one of the Angels would come to him. The Angel that meant more to the prophet than all the others – which was his ministry – would still be silenced – if all Seven Seals have not opened. Then the Mystery of God cannot be finished. Does this mean we must look for another Elijah... or another earthly messenger?

The answer to the above is NO. This great Revelation has come through the Elijah of Malachi 4 and therefore it cannot be a future work. We know this because Elijah has come and accomplished the purpose of God through his ministry. Also very important to note is that the Seven Thunders will never be a revelation that will come from outside the Bible. On the contrary, the true Revelation of the Seven Thunders comes straight out of the Bible.

THE REVELATION OF THE THUNDERS WILL BE IN THE BIBLE

REVELATION 22:18 - 19

18 For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book:

19 And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book.

64-0614M THE UNVEILING OF GOD JEFF. IN V-9 N-1 SUNDAY

274 Now someone has been, many has been saying to me, and theologians said, "Brother Branham, if the Lord God..." Said, "If--if... With your experience, that the Lord has given you for His people," humbly saying this, said, "you would be eligible to write a--a Bible yourself, your Word, if God has manifested."

275 I said "That might be true." **See, he was trying to catch me.** See? And I said, "But, you see, I couldn't do that."

He said, "Why couldn't you? You have all the qualifications."

276 I said, "But, you look, one word cannot be added or taken away." See?

277 **And he said, "Well, then, them seven thunders, you see," said, "wouldn't them seven thunders blasting out, won't that be a Revelation be give to some man?"**

278 **I said, "No, sir, it would be adding something to It or taking Something from It."**

279 **It's all revealed in There, and the Seven Seals opened up the revelation of what That was. That's what it was. See, it's still in the Word. You see, you can't get out of that Word. It won't leave the Word.**

And God's Spirit will never leave that Word. It'll stay right with the Word; blinding some, and open the eyes of others. It'll always do that.

64-1221 WHY.IT.HAD.TO.BE.SHEPHERD TUCSON.AZ V-6 N-15 MONDAY

263 When those seven mysteries... Back through those Seven Church Ages, there were seven hidden mysteries. I'm writing a book of It. And **a great theologian said to me not long ago, said, "Brother Branham..."**
See how Satan will try to jerk you off the road? He said, "Brother Branham, you know what? I believe the Lord will reveal to you what we're to do next. Is to... it'll be some great secret that's hid in under these Seven Seals."

264 I said, "No, that isn't it, brother."

265 **He said, "It'll be something that's not even written in the Word."**

266 **I said, "No! No! You forget, 'Whosoever shall add one word, or take one Word away.'" See, It's already in there, but the reformers has failed to see It, they didn't live long enough to see It.**

I pray the Lord help us not to set up the same type of trap as this theologian was doing. May we not allow Satan to jerk us off the track. How was this happening? They wanted Brother Branham to say that the Revelation of the Seven Thunders and the Seven Seals was not written in the Bible. They wanted him to add or to take away from the Bible. We all know the Scripture in Revelation 22:18-19 and the dire outcome to attempt such a terrible act as to alter the Word of God. If our understanding of the Seven Thunders, which is the revelation contained in the Seven Seals, contradicts Scripture or cannot be found in Scripture, may we realize the enemy is trying to jerk us off the path. If our revelation of the Seven Thunders is not lining up with those Seven Angels roaring out Their voices of the Seven Seals, may we quickly realize we are falling into a trap set up by the devil.

At this point we may want to question – doesn't the Bible tell us in the Book of Revelation chapter 5 that the Book was sealed on the backside with Seven Seals. Surely this then must mean that a "new and a greater revelation" will come that will be outside the Bible because the Seals were on the backside or outside....

65-0718E SPIRITUAL.FOOD.IN.DUE.SEASON JEFF V-8 N-7 SUNDAY

83 Then back out there at the beginning of the Seven Seals, when those seven Angels come down in that pyramid form, stood there and told me to return back here and speak on those Seven Seals, and He'd be with me, **He'd show me what they were, the lost things. I always thought it was sealed on the back of the Book and it'd be something wasn't wrote in the Book, but it turned out that it was made known that He cannot do that. It isn't something that's written in the Book... It's something that's been hid in the Book. "For whosoever shall take one Word from It or add one word to It..."** So it is a mystery that's been in the Book in these seven church ages. Each one of them produced a--a mystery, all about water baptism and these other things that they've fumbled about so long.

Brother Branham also had that concept – that the Seven Thunders or the revelation of the Seven Seals would be outside the Bible. Contrary to his thinking, the Holy Spirit moved to show him that these Great Mystery Truths will not come from outside the Bible but It has been hid in the Bible. "How does that work?" you may ask...

The Thunders were written in the Bible but God hid it in the Book as symbols. Let us take the First Seal as an example. When the Seal is announced in Revelation 6 all we see is a symbol of a white horse rider. Who is this white horse rider? Where did he come from? What does the

bow in his hand mean? Many have probed but we had all fallen short of the true meaning behind this symbol.

Like in Daniel's day – the handwriting was on the wall but they were just symbols. No one could interpret the letters. What did it mean? Nobody knew until the prophet is called and then we know God's interpretation as His voice thundered out judgment on Babylon.

We thank God for His Voice in this day again. Now in our day the Voice of God thundered out and interpreted the symbol. Now this rider is exposed as the antichrist. Seeing that he has been exposed we can identify the True Christ in the ministry of men like the apostle Paul, Irenaeus and Martin.

This pattern follows every Seal. The symbol is written in the Book but the understanding of it has been hid. Now the Voice of God thundered out the true interpretation of each symbol and what was hid in it. A very interesting point to note is that as the Revelation behind the symbols were being made known – all the interpretation came direct from the Scripture. Now we see how Matthew 24 ties in with the Seals and so forth. With the fully revealed Word, Christ is now standing in our midst.

THE PYRAMID IS CAPPED BY THE SEVEN THUNDERS

In this section of our exposition I would like us to revisit a thought stated implicitly in a previous section of our study. This is to deal with the Capstone.

62-1230E IS.THIS.THE.SIGN.OF.THE.END.SIR JEFF.IN V-2 N-11 SUNDAY
371 Might be closer than you think it is. It's got me scared. Oh, I haven't done enough. Where are we at?

372 "Time shall be no more." He announces that time is over. What happens? What happens? Could that be so now, brethren? **Seriously think. If it is, then the pyramid is capped by the Seven Thunders.**

373 **You remember the pyramid Message? It's the Capstone.** What did It do? The Holy Spirit capped off the individual and seal it, when we added to our faith; righteousness, and godliness, and faith, and so forth, and kept adding to it till we got seven things. And the seventh one was love, which is God. That's how He makes the individual, and caps him and seals him with the Holy Spirit.

374 Then, if that be so, **He's got seven church ages, that He's had seven mysteries that's been sounded away,** and they fought for, to bring back. **And now the Headstone comes, to cap off the Church. Does the Thunders mean that, my brethren? Sirs, is that where we're at?**

From the quote above we can see Brother Branham stating that the pyramid is capped by the Seven Thunders of Revelation 10. In paragraph 373 he is asking if we remember the "Pyramid Message". By this he is referring to a sermon he preached a few months before (62-1014M) titled "The Stature Of A Perfect Man." In this sermon he shows how an individual grows to the full stature of Christ and is capped or sealed by the Holy Spirit. In this same sermon he shows that this is exactly how God has been working with the Church Ages.

From the diagram on the next page, we see how Brother Branham placed the virtues, as spoken of by the Apostle Peter in 2 Peter 1:1-8, in line with the corresponding Church Ages and their messengers. Let me emphasize at this point that we do not believe in a "Pyramid Doctrine" or "Pyramid Revelation" but rather the prophet was using the example of the pyramid to

show how God was honing the Church down through the ages to get Her ready to receive the Capstone when He arrives.



Combining the revelation of the Seven Church Ages (as the Seven Golden Candlesticks) and the Seven Stars (which were the seven messengers to the Church Ages), together with the teaching on the Stature of a Perfect Man we can now see the Body of the Pyramid coming to completion but one very important Part was missing – The Capstone. It is after the mystery of the Seven Church Ages has “been sounded away” or revealed that the Headstone comes to cap off the Church.

A key to note here is that the Seven Thunders is the Capstone to finish off the Church. The Seven Thunders was not in the Body or the voices of the

Seven Church Ages or even the voices of the seven messengers to the ages. The Seven Thunders were the voices of the Seven Angels in the constellation shaped like a pyramid. This ties in perfectly with the dream of Junior Jackson as spoken of in the sermon "What time is it, Sirs?"

62-1230E IS.THIS.THE.SIGN.OF.THE.END.SIR JEFF.IN V-2 N-11 SUNDAY

125 Brother Jackson dreamed a dream. He couldn't get away from it; and I was leaving his church, and he just couldn't stand it.

126 How long ago has it been, Brother Jackson? [Brother Jackson says, "**I had the dream in February of '61, Brother Branham.**"--Ed.] **February of '61, he had the dream.**

127 And he come to me, and he said, "Something is on my heart. I must tell you, Brother Branham."

I said, "Go on, Brother Jackson."

128 And he said, "I dreamed a dream." And there it was! I just sat still, and I listened and watched. He said, "I dreamed that there was a great big hill, like out in a field, where blue grass or something was." And said, "Up on top of this hill, where the water had washed away the soil, there was a top rock, up on top the hill, like the top of the mountain. It was rock; no grass. **And where the water had washed down, it had cut some kind of readings on these stones. And you were standing there, interpreting this reading on these stones.**" And said, "All of us," and here is the way he put it, said, "**the brethren from Georgia, and from all around, we were all standing together, listening to you interpret that mysterious writing on those stone, that mountain.**"

129 **And said, "Then you picked up something, like from the air, something like a wrecking bar, or--or a crowbar." Wasn't it, brother? "Something like that, a wrecking bar, real sharp." And said, "It, how**

you done it, I don't know." And said, "You struck the top of that mountain, ripped it around, and lifted the cap of it off. It was in the shape of a pyramid. And you ripped the top of it off." Now, that was months and months and months before the pyramid Message was preached. And said, "Beneath that was white stone, granite. And you said, 'The sun, or the light, has never shined on This before. Look in on This. Watch This.'"

In reading this dream of Junior Jackson, it would be important to note that the dream was given in February 1961. Also note that the sermon "The Stature Of A Perfect Man" was delivered in October 1962. It would be imperative to hold these dates in your mind as we have already discovered that the Seven Thunders could not sound until the Mighty Angel, Christ, of Revelation 10 came down. We also discovered that His picture was taken in the skies on the 28th February 1963. Thus, to try and make the Thunders sound before the Headstone coming with the complete revelation of the Word would be to contradict the Bible.

From this dream we can see that the "mysterious writing on the stone" was already interpreted before the Capstone was lifted off. The prophet links this dream directly to the "Pyramid Message" of "The Stature of a Perfect Man." Once all this has been revealed, now comes the Capstone or Headstone which will cap the Church. Now will come the Revelation of the Seven Thunders that will finish off the Church and make Her complete. Notice, he asks the brothers to "look on This. Watch This." It was not the writings on the Mountain that he was referring to but the White Stone hidden under the Capstone...

62-1230E IS.THIS.THE.SIGN.OF.THE.END.SIR JEFF.IN V-2 N-11 SUNDAY

378 And then notice. In some mysterious way, we picked up, out of the air, a sharp tool that opened up the top. **And in there was white granite, but It wasn't interpreted. There was no letters. I didn't interpret That, Junior. I just looked at It, and said to the brethren, "Look on This."**
And that's fulfilled, tonight.

379 And while they were studying That, **I slipped towards the west. What for? Maybe to understand the interpretation of what's written in the top of This. Could it be?**

As at 30th December 1962 Junior Jackson's dream was fulfilled completely. The mystery of the Seven Church Ages were revealed. The Stature of a Perfect Man was revealed. All the dreams relating to Brother Branham going west have been interpreted. The only thing unknown was what was hidden in the Capstone. He had to slip towards the west to find the interpretation thereof. In January of 1963, the prophet moves west in obedience to the leading of the Holy Spirit. It would be here, out west, that he will meet a constellation of Seven Angels that he told us about in "What Time Is It, Sirs?"

Notice, in this dream the Capstone was in the shape of a pyramid. When he shares the vision of the Angels and even when They meet him, strangely, the constellation is also in the shape of a pyramid...

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380 And Those, blasting, the other morning, that shook me plumb till I raised up in the air, as high as this building, **that constellation of Angels, seven Angels in the form of a pyramid. Is that them Thunders that's coming forth? Could it be?**

381 ***This is all interpreted. According to his dream, it was all finished. According to God's Word, the seventh messenger will finish, seventh Message will be finished, and then the Seven Thunders. And he saw the capstone rolled over.***

382 ***Which, many people don't even know there is Seven Seals to be revealed.*** I've read many men's books on Revelation, never did hear It talked on. They skip That. But it's been told you that It's there.

The pyramid is capped by the Seven Thunders. The Capstone is in a pyramid shape. The Seven Angels came in a constellation in the shape of a pyramid. ***"Is that them Thunders that's coming forth? Could it be?"*** I trust you can now see the link. It is all One and the Same. Right here in "What Time Is It, Sirs?" the prophet is now linking the Capstone, the constellation of Angels and the Seven Thunders directly to the Revelation of the Seven Seals.

Another significant fact to consider is the Scripture reading Brother Branham found his Bible opened to after the vision of the Seven Angels came:

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217 I found myself, somewhere, over in a corner. I could hear my wife, somewhere, trying to shake a door. The door in the bedroom was locked. And I had a Bible open, and it... Was reading, I don't know, but it was in, I believe, Romans the 9th chapter, the last verse.

... ***Behold, I lay in Sion a cornerstone, a stumblingstone, a precious cornerstone, and whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed.***

218 And I thought, "It's strange I'd be reading that." Spirit still packing me, in the room! ***I closed up the Bible and stood there.***

219 I went over to the window. It was about ten o'clock in the day, or better. And I raised up my hands, and I said, "Lord God, I don't understand. This is a strange day, to me. And I'm beside myself, almost."

220 I said, "Lord, what does that mean? Let me read again, if it be You." Now, this sounds juvenile. And I took up the Bible, opened it up. There it was again, at the same place, Paul telling the Jews that they tried to... tell the Romans that the Jews tried to accept It by works, but it's by faith that we believe It.

After this great vision, the prophet is seeking clarity on what this means. He finds his Bible opened to Romans 9 and it is speaking of the Cornerstone. He closes his Bible and desires for God to give him some confirmation and he turns to the exact same Scripture. The Cornerstone that was rejected now is coming back as the Headstone.

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390 Is this the mystery, of the Thunders, that will bring back the Headstone? You know, the pyramid never was capped. The Headstone is yet to come. It's been rejected. Could it be, brethren, sisters?

391 Or, is this that Third Pull that He told me, three or four years ago?

392 The First Pull, you remember what happened? I tried to explain It. He said, "Don't do that."

393 The Second Pull, He said, "Don't try." And I pulled, anyhow. You remember? [Congregation says, "Yes."--Ed.] All of you remember. It's on tape and everything.

394 And then He said, "Now there's a Third Pull coming, but don't try to explain It." You see how I approached This, tonight? I don't know. But, I feel duty bound, to my church, to say something. You draw your own conclusion.

65-1128M GOD'S.ONLY.PROVIDED.PLACE.OF.WORSHIP
SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-4 SUNDAY

217 And the pyra-... pyramid being those foundations, up into the king's chamber. And just before you hit the seventh wall, there's a little introduction plank there, where a messenger comes out to bring you to the king. (The messenger, John the Baptist, that introduced, to the King.) **But the Headstone was rejected.** And they don't know, the Stone of Scone, or whatever it is, **they don't know where it's at, because it's a rejected stone.** **But that's the stone that caps the whole thing, that makes it the pyramid through the complete seven church ages.** Add grace, add this, add this, there's seven adds, the last one is Christ. Add this to your charity, add grace to your grace, add something else, and something else, **till it gets up to Christ is the Headstone, "And I am the Door."**

I trust from this compilation of quotes, it has become clear that the Headstone is Christ. Christ is the Mighty Angel that is coming down with the Open Book. When He cries, Seven Thunders utter Their voices. He was the Stone that was rejected for they stumbled over Christ the Cornerstone and could not recognize Him as revealed in the Man of Galilee.

Today, the church world stumbles at Christ the Word as revealed by the sounding of the seventh angel. Many people still don't know where to find Him. They are running to and fro but fail to see Him. We thank God for the sounding of the seventh angel. The Mystery of God has been finished by these seven Voices of Thunder that "caps off" and finishes the Message to the church. Now we can see Christ, the Headstone, in plain view. The Mighty God has been unveiled before our eyes. We recognize Him in the revealing of the Word by the sounding of the Seven Thunders.

64-0719M THE.FEAST.OF.THE.TRUMPETS JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-3 N-16 SUNDAY

132 *The first chapter of Rev-.... of--of the Bible, in the beginning, Genesis. One woman didn't misbelieve It, but she just misinterpreted, let Satan misinterpret to her, one word, "surely." See? And then, from that, caused all this trouble. And that was God speaking, God's Word.*

133 *And in the last chapter of Revelation, Jesus Himself, the same God, said, "Whosoever shall take one Word out, or add one word to It."*

134 **This is the complete revelation of Jesus Christ. [Brother Branham pats his Bible--Ed.] And the Seven Seals had the mysteries hid, of what It all was; and is supposed to open It in the last day, at the Laodicean age, at the end of time. Thanks be to God! That finishes the Message to the Church. That finishes It.** *When they look back and see what has been, and see where it's all brought up to, that finishes It, the age of the Church.*

We thank God that we now have the complete Revelation of Jesus Christ. The Seven Seals hid the mystery of what He was all about. God had ordained in this Laodicean Age, that he will send a messenger, the seventh angel, that when he begins to sound the Mystery of God would be finished. The Message to the Church is finished. There will be no new or greater revelation. Satan has been thoroughly exposed and Christ has been revealed by the opening of the Seven Seals and the sounding of the Seven Thunders.

Christ, the Capstone, is now in our midst in the form of the Word. We, who are willing to take that Word, eat It and digest It, become the Word in this day. For as He was the Word made flesh then, The Bride is the Word made flesh for today and this is the divine revelation of the Word made flesh.

When the Church can get a true revelation of Who It is that is In Her and by that get a true revelation of who She is, She will be an invincible army. With true revelation in our lives we would be able to discern and withstand that antichrist spirit within the framework of the Church. With true revelation in our lives, the gates of hell will not prevail against us but we will prevail against it.

May we realize we are in a warfare. Let us gird on the whole armour of God and use the Belt of Truth to fasten our armour. Let us not add or take away for the Spirit of God will never leave the Word. The Spirit of God will stay right with the Word of God. For when He the Spirit of Truth is come, He will guide you into all Truth.

WHY IS THE TRUE REVELATION OF THE SEVEN THUNDERS SO IMPORTANT?

As we bring this exposition to a close, may we ponder on the quotes that follow. They would highlight some of the core reasons as to why the True Revelation of the Seven Thunders is critical to a believer.

THE REVEALING OF THE SEVEN THUNDERS IS THE THIRD PULL

65-0725M THE.ANOINTED.ONES.AT.THE.END.TIME JEFF.IN V-5 N-3 SUNDAY

*262 Notice, the very day when this messenger... Not when he starts on, but when he begins to declare his Message. See? The First Pull, healing; Second Pull, prophesying; **Third Pull, the opening of the Word, the mysteries revealed.** No more, there is no more higher order to reveal the*

Word, than prophets. But the only way the prophet can be vindicated is by the Word. **And, remember, the Third Pull was the opening of them Seven Seals, to reveal the hidden Truth that's been sealed in the Word. Do you see it?** [Congregation says, "Amen."--Ed.] It is then, in that day when this thing is to take place, that Jannes and Jambres, the impersonators, will appear again. Just like they did when Moses appeared with the original Word, to say It; they appear to impersonate It. Just exactly right. Now you see what Matthew 24:24 is? See, anointed ones!

THE SEVEN THUNDERS AWAKENS THE BRIDE TO HER REVIVAL

63-0320 THE.THIRD.SEAL JEFFERSONVILLE.IN WEDNESDAY

182 Now, that's what's the reason today that the--the revivals that we're supposed to have... We have denominational revivals; we haven't had a real stirring. No, no, no, no. No, sir. Don't think we got revivals. We haven't. Oh, they've got millions and millions and millions of church members, but not a revival nowhere. No, no. The--the Bride hasn't had a revival yet. See? There's been no revival there, no manifestation of God to stir the Bride yet. See? We're looking for it. **It will take those seven unknown thunders back there to wake her up again. He will send it. He promised it.** Now, now, watch. Now, she was--she was dead.

THE SEVEN THUNDERS TURNS OUR HEARTS BACK

327-1 LAODICEAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.9

Now this messenger of Malachi 4 and Revelation 10:7 is going to do two things. One: According to Malachi 4 he will turn the hearts of the children to

the fathers. Two: He will reveal the mysteries of the seven thunders in Revelation 10 which are the revelations contained in the seven seals. **It will be these Divinely revealed 'mystery-truths' that literally turn the hearts of the children to the Pentecostal fathers. Exactly so.**

THE SEVEN THUNDERS BRING RAPTURING FAITH

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417 I don't know. I don't know, sirs. I'm only honest, with you, as my brothers. I don't know. Is it--is it time? Is the minis... the mystery all finished? Has the sounding all over? **Is that really them Seven Thunders, fixing to utter out something, that the little group that is gathered together will receive a Rapturing Faith, to go in the Rapture when He comes?** "For we'll be changed," as quick as those Angels come, "in a moment, in a twinkling of an eye; and shall be caught up together with those that had sleep, to meet the Lord in the air."

CONCLUSION

It is my sincere prayer that this exposition has been a blessing to you. I trust it is has been a means to help you understand the deep things of God. The deep things of God are not complicated or out of the reach of the believer. On the contrary, it is God, hiding Himself in simplicity and revealing Himself in the same.

The motive of this exposition is to edify the Bride of Christ by highlighting the truth of the Revelation of the Seven Thunders. By highlighting this I believe it exposes Satan and reveals the True Christ of the Bible and the Message.

God bless you richly and may His Coming rejoice your hearts!



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